Docket No. **FORM PTO-1083** Date: :January 30, Mail Stop: AMENDMENT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENT .P.O. Box 1450 FEB 0 2 200 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 WOLF et TRADE In re application of: 10/627,080 Serial No.: July 25, 2003 Filed: For: **AXLE BOOT** Sir: Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) in the above-identified \boxtimes Also transmitted herewith are: Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 □ Return Receipt Postcard ☑ Other: PTO Form 1449 (1 page) and copies of cited references \boxtimes Check(s) in the amount of \$180.00is/are attached to cover: Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 ☑ Other: IDS fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p) The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this \boxtimes communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552. Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check \boxtimes submitted herewith. Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17. Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. William C. Gehris, Reg. No. 38,156 DAVIDSON, DAVIDSON & KAPPEL, LLC 485 Seventh Avenue, 14th Floor New York, New York 10018 Tel: (212) 736-1940 Fax: (212) 736-2427 I hereby certify that the documents referred to as attached therein and/or fee are being deposited with the United States Postal Service

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 Form (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith, some or all of the references may not constitute prior art under the U.S. patent laws.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (c)(2) and a check in the amount of \$180.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (p) is submitted herewith. In the event any additional fee is due in connection with this response or if any fee has been overpaid, the deficiency or overpayment should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

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